## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	
Robert J. PRUETT et al.	) Group Art Unit: 1793
Application No.: 10/531,257	) Examiner: Shuangyi Abu-Ali
Filed: November 18, 2005	) Confirmation No.: 4840
For: FINE PLATY KAOLIN COMPOSITION	) ) )
Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450	<u>Via EFS-Web</u>
Sir:	

## RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

In response to the Office Action dated October 23, 2008, the period for response having been extended to March 23, 2009, by the Petition requesting a two-month extension of time and fee payment filed concurrently herewith, please amend the above-identified application, as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this Response to Office Action ("Response").

Remarks begin on page 12 of this Response.